GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
FINANCE AND COMPANY AFFAIRS
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:6909
ANSWERED ON:09.05.2003
UNDER /OVER INVOICING BY DRUG COMPANIES
SADASHIVRAO DADOBA MANDLIK

Will the Minister of FINANCE AND COMPANY AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether some under/over invoicing cases are pending against some drugs companies;

(b) if so, the names of such companies and the time by which these cases are pending;

(c) the reasons for delay; and

(d) the furthercorrective steps taken by the Government for early finalisation of the cases?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE AND COMPANY AFFAIRS (SHRI GINGEE N. RAMACHANDRAN):

(a) and (b) Yes, Sir. The details of such cases involving duty of over Rs. one crore which are pending adjudication are as below:

Name of the Company	Pending since
M/s Sai Mirra Innopharm Private Ltd., Chennai	June, 2002
M/s Universal Medicare Lid., Thane	April, 2002
M/s Nova Care Pvt. Ltd., Fajalpur	April, 2002
M/s Panpfiarma Panelav, Halol	May, 2002
M/s Parmasia Limited, Hyderabad	October, 2002
M/s Sai Mirra Pharmaceuticals (P) Ltd., Chennai	August, 2002
M/s Nicholas Piramal (I) Ltd., Pithampur	February, 2002

(c) and (d) Some of the cases are pending as the issue is awaiting settlement between the Government and C&AG. The steps being taken for early finalisation of the cases include efforts to expedite settlement of issue with C&AG and regular monitoring of the cases.